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September 10, 1986

Mr. Francisco Barba, Compliance officer CERCLA Remedial Enforcement Section (3HW12) U.S. EPA, Region III 841 Chestnut Building Philadelphia, PA 19107

> Re: 3HW12 Eastern Diversified Metals Site Hometown, Schuykill County, Pa.

Dear Mr. Barba:

Your letter of August 22, 1986 has been referred to my attention.

Our organization is conducting a search of its files to determine whether any hazardous waste or substance was transported to the Eastern Diversified Metals site.

In the interim, it would be mutually beneficial for you to provide information as to a relevant time frame for your inquiry. Your information request also refers to a "Theodore Sall, Inc." Some relevant background data would help to expedite our search.

This will also confirm our understanding (through Mr. Greg Crystal) that the Transit Authority will have until September 23, 1986 to conduct its search and turn over any materials that may be in its files. In the event that additional time proves to be necessary, I will contact your office prior to that date.

Very truly yours,

Lawrence C. Jenkins

Assistant General Counsel

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